

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Petrus Antonius Besselink  
Application No. : 10/782,266  
Filed : February 18, 2004  
For : EXPANDABLE DEVICE  
HAVING BISTABLE SPRING  
CONSTRUCTION  
Examiner : Michael H. Thaler  
Group Art Unit : 3731  
Confirmation No. : 4210

**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT****Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to a Restriction Requirement mailed June 26, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits the following election and amendment in connection with the above-captioned application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.